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One of the
12 wine
creators of
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Aleš Kristančič, a self-proclaimed farmer, winemaker and entrepreneur, ranks among the world's top wine creators. His family estate is based in Ceglo, with 20 hectares of vineyards, including some of the best sites in the border regions of Slovenia and Italy. Aleš's wines are adored by some of the most prestigious chefs in the world, including Lidia Bastianich, Alain Ducasse and Heston Blumenthal. His two most highly regarded achievements are the Lunar and Puro wines. The first is produced completely naturally, employing only the moon and its cycles, without added sulphites. The latter is a sparkling wine turned upside down, which has set a new benchmark. Traditional processes were revived, a method that does not employ sugar for secondary fermentation in the bottle, giving the consumer the satisfaction of enjoying what was previously the winemaker's perk when the wines were degorged.

Winemaking was handed down to Aleš by his forefathers. He felt that his father's musings about the moon, nature and harmony were more logical and sincere than what he could ever learn at agricultural college. After picking the brains of fellow winemakers, Aleš was on his way to make Movia into an international success story. The "Movia boy", as he was soon known, made his name throughout Slovenia and beyond. Through his strong involvement in the Slow Food movement and joining forces with its founder, Carlo Petrini, Aleš and his Movia wines inspire with their profound character and extreme elegance.

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*"Wine is more of the spirit
than of the body.*

*You have to let your
emotions carry you.*

*Wine keeps reminding us
that we are here
to enjoy life."*

Aleš Kristančič

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